



# THE PHANTOM



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BENGALI PASSES BEFORE THE  
THE WATCHFUL EYES OF THE ....

# PHANTOM

... AND THE DEEDS ARE FOREVER  
REMEMBERED IN THE GREAT BOOK!



WHEN A BANDAR TRIBESMAN FALLS - BEARING  
THE UNMISTAKABLE SIGN OF 'THE SKULL'..  
CAN IT MEAN THE PHANTOM HAS TURNED  
KILLER'S HEAD...THE **FALSE MARK!**

THE MOUNTAIN  
CLIMB IS FILLED  
WITH DANGER  
... BUT IT'S  
THE ONLY WAY TO  
REACH ...

## THE SECOND PHANTOM



A CHALLENGE THAT  
MUST BE ANSWERED  
... A DUEL OF HONOR IN...

## THE **RITUAL**



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## THE RITUAL

THE NARROW TRAILS AND SECRET PATHS OF THE BENGALI JUNGLES ARE WELL KNOWN TO THE GHOST WHO WALKS A KINGDOM SO LARGE ITS BOUNDS HAVE YET TO BE MARKED ON ANY MAPS! WITHIN THOSE BOUNDS LIVE ALL MANNER OF CREATURES... ALL MANNER!

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GREAT SCOTT! A GIANT! A MEMBER OF THE MOBIKA TRIBE WHICH DWELLS IN THE INTERIOR!

A SMALL ONE! HO, HO, HO... HOW TRUE THE STORIES OF TINY PEOPLE ARE...

**HAA HAA**

HAIL! MEMBER OF THE MOBİKAB!  
IN FRIENDSHIP I OFFER THIS  
BRIDGE FOR YOUR CROSSING!



NO, SMALL ONE, IT IS I WHO  
ALLOW YOU TO PASS FIRST!



THE JUNGLE OF BENGALI  
BELONGS TO ALL! THIS  
BRIDGE IS YOURS!  
TAKE IT!



COULD HE BE INVITING ME TO  
A CONTEST!?



IS THIS SMALL ONE SEEKING  
TO PROVE HIS STRENGTH?





I ACCEPT YOUR  
OFFER TO CROSS  
OVER FIRST!



I WILL DO AS YOU  
SAY... I WILL CROSS  
FIRST!



JUST AS I SUSPECTED  
..THE ONE WHO CROSSES  
FIRST.. MUST WIN THE  
RIGHT!



HE IS WILLING! THEN LET  
THE BETTER MAN BE THE  
FIRST TO CROSS!



I WILL NEED A SMALL  
STICK TO AID MY  
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ME BALANCE....

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OF BIRDS  
AND SMALL  
CREATURES  
CEASES AS  
TWO MEN  
FACE ONE  
ANOTHER!

STAND BACK! I  
AM CROSSING!

STAY! I WILL BE  
THE FIRST TO CROSS!



IT IS FOR YOU TO  
DECIDE!

SMALL ONE..TAKE  
THE **WET** PATH ACROSS  
..WITH THIS!

IT IS YOU WHO WILL BE  
THE **WET** ONE... WITH  
**THIS!**

..AND FOR  
**YOU!**

HE'S  
FAST!

**AIE..** HOW QUICKLY  
THE SMALL ONE MOVES!





WHEN THE ELEPHANT  
MEETS THE ANT.. IT  
IS THE ANT WHO  
SUFFERS!



BUT WHEN THE ANT CHOOSES TO  
ENTER A COCONUT.. THE ELEPHANT  
CANNOT FOLLOW...



YOU ARE AS SLIPPERY  
AS THE BANANA.. BUT  
JUST AS SOFT AS THIS  
BLOW WILL PROVE!



YOU GROW ABOVE THE  
BAMBOO.. BUT YOU ARE  
AS TENDER AS I WILL  
SHOW!



THE PLAY IS FINISHED..  
PREPARE TO JOIN THE  
FIGHT!

IT IS YOU, LITTLE FISH,  
WHO MUST HAVE THE  
WATER.. IT IS YOURS!



**HAAAY  
HAWAII**

WE ARE  
ALL VICTORS!

THE BATTLE  
IS ENDED!

YOU HAVE FOUGHT  
WELL, GHOST WHO  
WALKS!

.. AND YOU, MIGHTY  
MOBIKA! UNTIL NEXT  
YEAR WHEN WE MEET  
AGAIN!



AND SO IT IS THAT EACH YEAR TWO ANCIENT  
ENEMIES, THE POISON PYMWY PEOPLE AND  
THE GIANT MOBIKAS LIVE IN HARMONY  
BECAUSE OF THE RITUAL! **THE END**

# THE PHANTOM

DEEP IN A JUNGLE PLACE KNOWN AS THE DEEP WOODS LIVES THE PHANTOM! NONE DARE ENTER EXCEPT THOSE WHO SERVE HIM - HIS TRUSTED FRIENDS THE BANDAR... THE POISON PYGMY PEOPLE! SUDDENLY, THEIR TRUST FALLS WHEN ONE OF THEIR KIND IS FOUND DEAD WITH THE MARK OF THE PHANTOM!

NO! IT IS NOT TRUE!

IT IS TRUE. THERE ON HIS HEAD... THE MARK OF THE PHANTOM!

HOW CAN THIS BE? WE... WE ARE THE PHANTOM HAS KILLED ONE OF US? HIS TRUSTED FRIENDS!

THE  
FACE  
MARK

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THERE IS NO DOUBT! A BLOW FROM THE PHANTOM'S MIGHTY FIST WOULD SHATTER ANY BANDAR SKULL... JUST AS IT HAS SHATTERED UMBA'S! HE IS DEAD!

WE WILL TAKE HIM  
TO THE PHANTOM!  
WE WILL LEARN THE  
TRUTH!

PERHAPS UMBA  
WAS MEANT TO  
DIE! PERHAPS IT  
IS THE PHANTOM'S  
JUSTICE!

LISTEN!

WEEEEEE

IT IS  
WANDA!  
IS HE  
HURT?

WHAT HAS  
HAPPENED  
WANDA?  
TELL US!

A BLOW FROM ONE  
I COULD NOT SEE!  
I... I...

AGGAAAA

HE IS GONE!

WHAT IS  
HAPPENING?

WANDA COULD NOT SEE WHO  
STROK HIM DOWN BECAUSE  
IT WAS... THE GHOST WHO WALKS!

COULD IT BE TRUE? WOULD THE PHANTOM MAKE HIS OWN JUSTICE WITHOUT COUNSEL... WITHOUT THOUGHT? THE ANSWER MAY BE IN SKULL CAVE!

WHA... WHAT IS HAPPENING TO... ME?

MY HEAD IS... SPINNING... ACHING! NEED... FRESH... AIR...

AH... THAT'S BETTER... BUT SOMETHING HAS COME OVER ME! MY MIND IS BLANK... IS TODAY THE SAME DAY I REMEMBER? MY THOUGHTS ARE UNCLEAR!

UNNOTICED BY THE PHANTOM, BANDAR TRIBESMEN ARE MOVING INTO ATTACK POSITION!

I WILL GO TO MY FRIENDS, THE BANDAR... THEIR MEDICINE IS STRONG... PERHAPS THEY CAN HELP!

KILL HIM! NO JUSTICE TO THE PHANTOM!

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WHAT IS THE  
MEANING...

WE ARE NOT  
YOUR FRIENDS  
ANY LONGER...  
MURDERER OF  
OUR PEOPLE!

IT IS FOR OUR CHIEF TO AVENGE THE  
WRONGFUL DEATHS OF OUR TRIBES-  
MEN... ONLY HE HAS THE RIGHT TO  
DESTROY THE PHANTOM!

SOMETHING HAS HAPPENED!  
IF I TRY TO FIGHT, A SINGLE  
SCRATCH FROM THEIR POISON  
SPEARS WILL FINISH ME!

I'VE GOT TO FIND OUT  
WHY THEY DO THIS!

DESTROY  
HIM.

ALER

TOMBA WILL LISTEN...  
HE IS A WISE CHIEF!  
HE WILL KNOW THAT  
HIS PEOPLE HAVE  
BEEN MISLED!

TOMBA WAITS  
TO AVENGE  
OUR PEOPLE!

TOMBA..HEAR  
MY WORDS!  
YOUR PEOPLE  
..MY PEOPLE  
..THEY FALSELY  
ACCUSE...

WHAT'S THAT?  
SOMETHING  
IN THE  
JUNGLE!  
DID I SEE  
SOMETHING

TOMBA'S PEOPLE DO  
NOT ACCUSE WITHOUT  
REASON. YOU HAVE  
TAUGHT US THAT,  
PHANTOM! YOU MUST  
DIE FOR YOUR DEEDS!

THERE IS SOME-  
THING! SOMETHING  
FLASHING...A  
REFLECTION...



IT WON'T BE LONG  
NOW, PHANTOM! IT  
WON'T BE LONG NOW!



I ONLY WISH I COULD TELL  
YOU WHY YOU ARE DYING,  
PHANTOM, SO YOU WOULD  
KNOW THAT AN OLD DEBT  
IS FINALLY REPAID!



THIEF!

LET THIS MARK TELL ALL  
MEN THAT EVIL COMES TO  
NO GOOD END BUT TO ITS  
OWN DARK RESTING PLACE  
.. PRISON!



CRACK



THAT WAS TEN YEARS AGO, PHANTOM.  
TEN YEARS IN PRISON FOR ME AND  
TEN YEARS OF FREEDOM FOR YOU..  
NOW IT IS OVER.. FOR BOTH OF US!

YOU'LL NEVER KNOW WHY  
YOUR TINY FRIENDS HAVE  
TURNED AGAINST YOU ...  
BECAUSE YOU WON'T LIVE  
TO LEARN OF MY DRY  
ICE BULLETS!

THERE IS SOMETHING IN  
THE JUNGLE.. BUT I  
CAN'T GET FREE! A  
POISON DART WOULD  
FINISH ME BEFORE I  
REACHED THE SAFETY  
OF THE BUSH..

DEVIL! I CAN FEEL ...  
HE IS NEAR ...

MY ONLY  
CHANCE ...

TWEEEEEE  
EEE  
TWEET  
F

THE PHANTOM'S LOW  
WHISTLE REACHES  
ALERT EARS... AND  
SUDDENLY- DEVIL  
LEAPS INTO ACTION!

WHA... ..

NOISE...  
SOMEONE  
COMES... AHHH...  
INTRUDER!

AAAAHHH

GET HIM OFF  
.. HEEELPP!

WAIT! THERE IS  
A STRANGER  
AMONG US!

PREPARE TO  
DIE, PHANTOM!

GOOD BOY,  
DEVIL!

CAN IT BE?  
HAVE WE COME  
TO  
MAKING A  
TERRIBLE  
MISTAKE?

...VERY CLEVER!  
A KILLING PIECE MADE  
OF DRY ICE WHICH VANISHES  
WHEN ITS EVIL WORK IS DONE  
...BUT IT LEAVES THE 'PHANTOM  
MARK'! SO IT APPEARED THAT THE  
CRIMES WERE MINE!

AND, I SUSPECT YOU ALSO  
PLANTED A GAZ CANISTER  
IN THE CAVE TO BEFUDDLE MY  
MIND AND THE BANDAR  
COULD CAPTURE ME.

WE WILL RETURN THIS  
MAN TO HIS OWN KIND  
FOR PUNISHMENT! IT  
IS FROM YOU WE LEARN,  
O GHOST WHO WALKS!

NOW FOOLISH TO  
THINK YOU WOULD  
DO SUCH A THING  
...OR THAT OUR  
SPEARS WOULD  
HARM YOU!  
YOU WILL BE  
WITH US....  
FOREVER... AS  
ALWAYS!

...HOW CLOSE WE HAVE COME TO  
LOSING THE PHANTOM... FOREVER!

The End

# KISWAHILI Somo La Nane

BY MWALIMU BAHATI NJEMA

Swahili is technically known as Kiswahili by the people who speak it. It is the tongue spoken with variations - by millions of people in Africa. And it is now the official language of the United Republic of Tanzania. We are going to give you the numbers in Swahili. Thus you will be able to count and to use the numbers as adjectives. Remember, that this lesson like all the previous ones, is an independent lesson.

Here is a simplified key to help you understand the vowels in the words; *e* is somewhere between the *e* of better and the *ay* of day; *u* is like the *oo* in moon; *i* is like the *ee* in meet; *a* is like the *a* in father; and *o* is like the *aw* in saw. As you need them, we will explain how to pronounce the consonants. However, *dh* is a combination like the *th* in them. *Q* and *X* are not used in Swahili. The letter *c* is only used in the combination of *ch*. Now for the stress. In general, the next to the last syllable of a Swahili word or phrase receives a stress, which consists of a slight increase in loudness. Usually with some increase also in length. Fortunately for you, Swahili is not a tonal language. Chinese is such a language and the change in pitch *dh*ea change the meaning of some of the Chinese words.

For example, the word for "self" in Chinese is pronounced the same way as the word for "buy" - but the tone is different. Now for our numbers in Swahili. We will start with the numbers from one to ten -

1. moja 2. mbili 3. tatu 4. nne 5. tano  
6. sita 7. saba 8. nane 9. tisa 10. kumi.

The number 90 is some parts of Swahili spoken language is also *tenda*. Now how would you say the numbers from 11 to 19? The logic is simple and is the same as in some other languages: 11 is ten plus one; 12 is ten plus two; etc. So here they are:

11. kumi na moja 12. kumi na mbili 13. kumi na tatu 14. kumi na nne 15. kumi na tano 16. kumi na sita 17. kumi na saba 18. kumi na nane 19. kumi na tisa (*kenda*). Now we will take the numbers in units of ten: 20 *ishirini* 30. *thelathini* 40. *arobaini* 50. *hamsini* 60. *sikini* 70. *sabini* 80. *themanini* 90. *tisini* 100. *tuha*.

How would you say 31 or 32? Same logic as before; 30 is *thelathini na moja*; 32 is *thelathini na mbili*. How would say 44? This is 40 plus four and hence is *arobaini na nne*. You can practice now by figuring out these following numbers: 28, 37, 46, 53, 75, 86 and 99. Since *mia* is 100 101 is *mia na moja*, 102 is *mia na mbili*, 103

is *mia na tatu*, etc. How would you say 200 or 300, or 400? To be exact, *mia* means a hundred unit. So that 100 is really *mia moja*; 200 is *mia mbili*; 300 is *mia tatu*; 400 is *mia nne*, etc.

How would you say 400? Do some thinking and it simply means 4 one hundreds plus four which is: *mia nne na nne*. Now for some other numbers: Zero is *sifuri*; 1,000 is *elfu*; 100,000 is *laki*; and a million is *milioni*.

There are another set of numbers for 11 to 19 and they are the Arabic numbers: 11. *edashara* 12. *thenshara* 13. *thelatahara* 14. *arobatahara* 15. *hamshahara* 16. *sitashara* 17. *sibatashara* 18. *themanashara* 19. *tisatashara*.

Now for the fractions: 1/2 is *masu* 1/4 is *robo*; and 1/3 is *thelithi*. To express the other fractions, like 1/5, or 1/7, a different idea is used. It takes the word *schemu* which means part. So that 1/5 one part of five, which is expressed *schemu ya tano*. Thus 1/6 is *schemu ya sita*; 1/7 is *schemu ya saba*; 1/8 is *schemu ya nne*; etc. How would you say 3/8? Evidently you have to have a 3 and an 8 in the expression. But it is reversed. The word *kwa* is used. The denominator is on top so that 3/8 is *nane kwa tatu* and 5/10 is *kumi kwa tano*.

There is a slight complication in using some of the numbers, such as *moja*, *mbili*, *tatu*, *nne*, *tano*, and *nane*. When they are used as adjectives, they take prefixes, or concord, that agree with the nouns that they modify: Two chairs - *viti viwili*; five children - *watoto watano*; one person - *mtu mmoja*; two persons - *watu wawili*. If these special numbers are used as part of a compound number, the same rule applies. Thus, thirty three people is said - *watu thelathini na watatu*.

Some special notes: 1 is also *moja* and 2 is *pili*. So that when you say *Sabaitari* which is the first day of the Islamic lunation. And *Sabaitari* which is the second day is *Jumla*. How would you say once, or twice? The word used is *mara*; so *mara moja* means once; *mara mbili* means twice; *mara tatu* means three times, etc.

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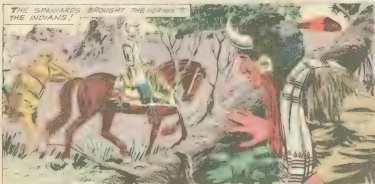
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# A HORSE AND A GUN

THE GREAT PLAINS WERE VAST,  
LONELY PLACES. NOT MANY  
INDIANS WANDERED HERE BEFORE  
THE WHITE MAN CAME FROM THE  
EAST! THEY WERE ON FOOT... THEY  
DID NOT ATTEMPT TO HUNT THE  
HUGE BUFFALO!



THE SPANIARDS BROUGHT THE HORSES TO  
THE INDIANS!



INDIANS LEARNED HOW TO RIDE THE DESCENDANTS  
OF THE SPANISH HORSES WHICH MULTIPLIED ON  
THE GREAT PLAINS!



THE FIRST SKIRMISHES WITH THE INDIANS WERE PRETTY ONE-SIDED: ARROWS VS BULLETS, SPEARS VS ARTILLERY!



BUT AN AVARICIOUS FRONTIER TRADER BROUGHT GUNS TO THE INDIANS IN EXCHANGE FOR VALUABLE FURS!



THEN THE INDIANS MOVED OUT OF THEIR SHELTERED VALLEYS AND HILLS ONTO THE GREAT PLAINS, MOUNTED ON SPLENDID MUSTANGS AND WELL ARMED, THEY HUNTED BUFFALO AND LIVED FAT!



THE BATTLES WITH THE WHITE MEN WERE NO LONGER ONE-SIDED. SOMETIMES THEY WON, THE BAPLES AGAINST THE U.S. ARMY!



WHEN GREAT DANE FOR THE PLAINS TRIBES, IT CAME FROM DISEASE, TREACHERY, AND THE SLAUGHTER OF THE VAST BUFFALO HERDS ON WHICH THEY HAD COME TO DEFEND!



END!



# RAZORBACK

IN THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST TODAY THERE'S A TOUGH CRITTER CALLED "RAZORBACK" AND "WILGATER"....MOST OF THEM DESCENDED FROM A HERD OF DOMESTIC PIGS BROUGHT FROM FLORIDA AROUND 1539 BY A SPANIARD NAMED HERNANDO DE SOTO!

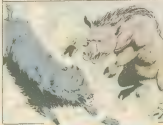
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THE INDIANS LOVED THE TASTE OF PORK, THEY'D NEVER SEEN A PIG OR TASTED ROAST PORK BEFORE! DE SOTO GIFTED COOPERATIVE CHIEFS WITH PAIRS OF THE ANIMAL FOR BREEDING PURPOSES.



DE SOTO LEFT AT LEAST 300 PIGS TO FEED FOR THEMSELVES WHEN HE LEFT ARKANSAS! THEY THRIVED!



THEY SPREAD! TODAY, YOU'RE LIABLE TO RUN INTO THE CRITTER ANYWHERE FROM TENNESSEE TO ARIZONA! THEY CAN LEAP AS HIGH AS A MAN'S HEAD, GET FAT EATING COPPER-HEADS OR RATTLESNAKES, AND FIGHT A WILCAT TO A STANDSTILL!





# The PHANTOM

IN 1954 A SMALL TWIN ENGINE AIRCRAFT ON A FLIGHT ACROSS THE INTERIOR OF THE UNKNOWN REGION OF BENGALI DEVELOPED ENGINE TROUBLE AND CRASHED! THE WRECKAGE WAS NEVER FOUND NOR WAS ITS PILOT, THE SOLE OCCUPANT, EVER HEARD FROM AGAIN...



MONTHS AFTER THE CRASH, THE TRAGIC FLIGHT WAS FORGOTTEN BY MOST—BUT NOT BY THE PILOT'S YOUNG DAUGHTER!

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WE KNOW IT'S DIFFICULT FOR A YOUNG GIRL TO UNDERSTAND, SARA, BUT WE'VE GOT TO BE HONEST WITH HER! HER FATHER IS DEAD!

BUT SHE DOESN'T BELIEVE HE'S DEAD! WE KNOW THE PLANE HAD TO GO DOWN... BUT SHE CAN'T BELIEVE HE'S GONE!



# THE SECOND PHANTOM

AND NOW, SIXTEEN YEARS LATER:

DOREEN, YOU'VE GOT TO USE  
YOUR HEAD! YOUR INHERITANCE  
IS SITTING IN THE BANK, UNTOUCHED  
BECAUSE YOU WON'T BELIEVE YOUR  
FATHER IS DEAD!

INSTEAD  
OF USING IT TO  
SAVE GRACEMERE  
FROM RUIN AND FROM YOUR  
CREDITORS, YOU'D RATHER  
SEE IT ROT!

I DON'T CARE! DADDY IS  
ALIVE... I KNOW HE IS!  
THEY CAN TAKE GRACE  
MERE IF THEY WANT.  
I'M GOING TO FIND  
DADDY... WITH OR WITH  
OUT YOUR HELP!

DOREEN... YOU  
CAN'T MEAN THAT!  
IT'S BEEN 16 YEARS!

IT DOESN'T MATTER! I'M  
NO LONGER YOUR WARD...!  
I'M GOING TO FIND HIM!

THREE LONG  
HARD MONTHS  
LATER.

MISS DOREEN.. WE MUST  
STOP. MY MEN.. THEY  
MUST REST!

YES,  
MOWGI!

I KNOW I'M PUSHING  
TOO HARD.. BUT I'M  
CERTAIN MY FATHER  
IS ALIVE!

WE WILL REST HERE FOR A  
FEW DAYS! PERHAPS WE CAN  
LEARN SOMETHING FROM THE  
NATIVES!

.. WHAT ARE  
YOU DOING  
HERE?

AGGAH..

MISS DOREEN.. WE ARE  
N LUCK. THIS MAN SAYS  
HE KNOWS OF A MAN WITH  
SKIN LIKE YOURS WHO LIVES  
ALONE IN THE JUNGLE!

IT'S FATHER.  
HE'S ALIVE.  
TAKE ME TO  
HIM!

SOON:

OH, POOR DADDY! SO  
LOST AND ALONE FOR  
ALL OF THESE YEARS!  
NO WONDER HE COULDN'T  
FIND HIS WAY OUT...  
THIS JUNGLE IS  
IMPENETRABLE!

HE SAYS HE WILL GO NO  
FARTHER! THERE ARE  
POISON PYGMY PEOPLE  
THERE WHO ARE HIS  
ENEMIES! THE MAN WE  
GEEK IS THERE!

THEN WE'LL  
GO ON  
ALONE!

CAN'T  
HE FEAR

PERHAPS  
THEY HAVE  
HELD FATHER A  
CAPTIVE ALL THESE  
YEARS!

I DO NOT UNDERSTAND  
THEIR TONGUE! THESE  
PEOPLE ARE ENEMIES  
TO ME.

PEACE... WE  
COME IN  
PEACE!

SUDDENLY:

**AIEEE**

THIS MUST BE THE  
PLACE OF THEIR  
SPIRITS!

THE PHANTOM  
SILENTLY LISTENS  
TO THE GIRL'S  
EXPLANATION!

YOU HAVE  
HEARD OF  
MY FATHER?

NOW...I KNOW  
THAT YOU WILL  
ASK TO BE  
TAKEN THERE  
BUT...THE  
MOUNTAINS ARE  
IMPASSABLE TO  
THE MEN OF  
BANDAR!

OR PERHAPS  
WHERE DADDY  
IS... OH! SOME-  
ONE IS COMING

I AM TRULY  
SORRY I AM  
NOT THE ONE  
YOU SEEK! BUT  
THE STORY  
YOU TELL IS  
NOT UNKNOWN

I HAVE HEARD  
THAT AN AIR-  
PLANE SUCH AS  
YOU DESCRIBE  
ONCE FELL IN  
THE MOUNTAINS

SO I WILL TAKE  
YOU!



SOON:

I WISH YOU WOULD  
REMAIN BEHIND! THE  
WAY IS DANGEROUS!  
WE WILL TELL YOU  
WHAT WE FIND.

I DON'T CARE HOW DANGEROUS  
IT IS..I WON'T TURN BACK!

GULP!

MAN:  
HARSH  
ROCKS  
AHEAD

WE ARE NEAR  
THE PEAK!

THERE! THERE  
IS THE LAND  
WHERE THE PLANE  
FELL FROM THE  
SKY!



AS THEY DESCEND...

THESE ARE THE MOUNTAIN DWELLERS. THEY ARE BEAUTIFUL! BUT I HAVE ENCOUNTERED THEM IN THREE CONTINENTS.

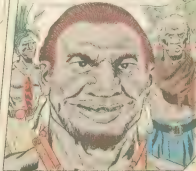
THEN PERHAPS YOU CAN SPEAK THEIR LANGUAGE!

...I'LL TRY! MEN OF THE MOUNTAINS.. WE COME IN PEACE.. WE SEEK A MAN WHO FELL FROM THE SKY!

WE KNOW OF YOU, GHOS! WHO WALKS. COME.. WE WILL TAKE YOU TO OUR CHIEF.. HE HAS FALLEN FROM THE SKY!

I DON'T KNOW BUT, THEY SEEM TO UNDERSTAND ME!

WHAT ARE THEY SAYING?





HE SPOKE THE TRUTH... LOOK!  
THAT OLD MAN... IS HE ...



I KNEW IT, I JUST  
KNEW IT. MY EVERY  
DREAM TOLD ME  
NEVER TO GIVE UP  
HOPE! OH, FATHER  
..YOU'RE ALIVE..  
ALIVE!

YES DEAR!  
YES.. I'M  
ALIVE!



FOR YEARS I TRIED TO FIND MY  
WAY OUT OF THIS PLACE UNTIL  
ONE DAY IT OCCURRED TO ME  
TO ASK.. WHY? FROM THAT  
DAY ON I HAVE BEEN HAPPY!  
THESE PEOPLE HAVE ADOPTED  
ME.. WE ARE FRIENDS! WHAT  
MORE IS THERE?



THIS OTHER 'GHOST WHO WALKS'  
SPEAKS THE TRUTH! WHAT MORE  
IS THERE?

THE END



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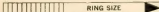
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